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Applicant:	Jorgen Poulsen	Conf. No. 8802
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For: A METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A FILTER ELEMENT		

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to the Continued Examination of the above referenced patent application and in response to the Office Action dated January 6, 2010, please amend the above identified application as follows: